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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

RURAL SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES HELD HERE WEDNESDAY.

When
It's real estate
You are interested in
See HONDO LAND COMPANY
Fletcher Davis, Phone 127, Hondo,
And Geo. H. Kimmy, Phone 172,
Hondo,
Are the Managers and ready to
serve you.
Lincoln Records, 25 cents each at
C. R. Gaines.
W. R. Routh was a business call-
at this office Monday.
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Miller before it's to late. 39-4t
Louis Schleitz was a business call-
at this office Monday.
Albert Reitzer was business call-
at this office Tuesday.
L. A. Gerdes was a business call-
at this office Saturday.

Men's Packard Shoes, Dependable
since 1878, LEINWEBER'S.
Lingerie, Corsets, Girdles, etc.,
for Summer wear. LEINWEBER'S.
Fruits and candies of all kinds, at
CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33-tf
Any one wanting to buy peaches
and plums will please ring L. Morris,
Phone 36. 32-tf
Armstrong's Burlap-base Linoleum
the new 1930 patterns at LEIN-
WEBER'S. 42
Men, beat the heat in one of our
cool-Cloth Summer Suits. LEIN-
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For Sale—Young white New Zea-
land rabbits, \$1.00 each. Ring 35W
see Curley Mechler. 40-tf
Don't over-look that Goodrich Gar-
ment Hose at Gaines. Regular 12 cent
size at 8½ cents per foot. 41-tf
For Headstones and Monuments
see Wm. Newmann, Agent for Nagel
in Fredericksburg, Texas. 36-tf
Try U. S. Masters tires. They run
up to 40 to 70 thousand miles if prop-
erly cared for. C. R. GAINES. 43-tf
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Windrow are
from Dallas visiting homefolks.
They are in the drug business in Dal-
las. 44-tf
Another big cut—Jacqueline Edison
and William and Mary phonographs
at the regular price at C. R.
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Old reliable can repair any trouble
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Don't use soap on Baby's scalp.
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curly hair. For sale at Ladies'
Shoppe. 41-tf
Our Hosiery department is the
most popular in town, featuring
SOENIX. All the new shades are
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For Sale, extra fine tomato plants
25 cents per hundred or 50 for
50. Write or see ADOLPH
HUEHLE, Pearls, Texas.
Dr. T. B. Knopp is attending a
meeting of the Texas Dental As-
sociation in Fort Worth this week.
Expect to return tonight.
Buy Humble Flashlike "Ethyl" the
anti-knock gasoline. Give it a
try and be convinced. Weynand
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valve seat insert for replacing
cut out valve seats in cars and
cars. 41-tf

A fine baby girl was born to Mr.
Mrs. Alfred Rath Tuesday, May
1930. Mother and baby are do-
well, and Grandpa Rath is carry-
ing off his new honors with becoming
manners. 41-tf
J. Brown, State Supervisor of
Rehabilitation, was a
recent caller at this office Wednes-
day. Mr. Brown's work is helping
people and otherwise physical in-
fants to acquire such knowledge as
enable them to earn a livelihood.
Don't hide our face or feeling with
false economy. We
It takes scientific care of
nerves and muscles to keep fit
the daily wear on body and mind
and prevent more serious trouble and
disease. Begin now and take rest-
fuls and scalp treatments at the
Beauty Shoppe. 41-tf

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES IN PROGRESS THIS WEEK

Begins With Baccalaureate Service Sunday Closes With Graduating Exercises Tonight

EIGHTEEN TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

The graduating exercises for the 1929-30 term of the Hondo High School began with the Baccalaureate services at the High School Auditorium at eleven o'clock last Sunday morning. The regular eleven o'clock services at the various churches of the town were called off for the occasion and a union choir, under the direction of Mr. Ed. Armstrong, furnished the song service for the occasion. Rev. H. A. Heineke offered the invocation and Rev. Albert Nelson preached the Baccalaureate Sermon.

The services were beautiful and impressive and were largely attended. Elsewhere we print the text of Rev. Nelson's able and appropriate sermon.

THE CLASS PLAY.

The Senior Class play was presented to a crowded house at the auditorium on Tuesday evening, May 20 and was very much enjoyed by all.

"Nothing But the Truth" is a three-act comedy drama in which modern business and modern church methods got strangely mixed up. A model young man, with a high sense of honor, in order to make money for a church enterprise "bets" some church trust funds with some shrewd business men that he can tell "Nothing But the Truth" for twenty-four hours. He beats them at their own game and makes a big winning, but the difficulties he encounters in the effort afford many comical and embarrassing situations.

The young people acquitted themselves in their several roles very creditably, and their director, Miss Bess Brucks is deserving of much credit for her efficient training and supervision.

Elsewhere will be found the program for the graduating exercises which take place at the auditorium tonight. Eighteen graduates will receive their diplomas as the grand finale of the occasion.

REV. NELSON'S SERMON.

Following is the Baccalaureate Sermon, as preached to the graduates by Rev. Albert Nelson, Pastor of the local Baptist Church:

Proverbs 24: 1 to 4: "Be thou not envious of evil men, neither desire to be with them, for their hearts study destruction, and their lips talk of mischief. Thru wisdom is a house builded and by understanding it is established, and by knowledge shall the chambers be filled with all precious and pleasant riches."

Eccle. 3: 3: "There is a time to break down and a time to build up."

The class of 1930 has experienced the most happy season of life.

The most happy season: because you have had joy without responsibility; because you have had your triumphs largely without trial; because you have had gladness without life's grievous cares, and the sweetest memories of your life will always cluster around the happy days that you spent in dear old Hondo High.

But in leaving Hondo High, you

leave behind the sweetest part of your boyhood and girlhood days, and you enter into the most critical season of life.

The most critical season: Because what you do in the next few months or years will very largely determine what you will be twenty years from now, or forty years from now, and even sixty years from now. Because you will be called to make your own decisions and you will be forced to abide by your own judgments, and you will reap your own rewards according to your wisdom, or pay your own penalty according to your folly.

The Word of God says, "There is a time to break down and a time to build up." Therefore, my advice to you is to be a builder—live a constructive life.

The easiest thing in the world is to take the line of least resistance. The easiest think is to be a destroyer. The most hopeless maniac in the State Asylum can be a destroyer. It doesn't take any principle, it doesn't take any manhood, it doesn't take any brain power to be a destroyer.

The easiest thing in all the world is to violate all the laws of man and God; to destroy your own health and happiness and to warp your mind and your morals. In other words, it is far easier to be a "nobody" than it is to be a "somebody."

Because it takes manhood; it takes character; it takes principle; it takes conviction; it takes backbone and it takes brain power to be a builder. Therefore, my advice to you is to become a builder.

As you prepare to meet the great issues of this life, I would have you remember this: "Man is largely the master of his own destiny." You can conquer your difficulties or you can let your difficulties master you. You can conquer your weaknesses and your temptations or you can let them conquer you. You can be the master or you can be the menial, just as you prefer. You can let your will-power build you up or you can let your weakness tear you down. So my message to you is to Be a Builder and to live the constructive life.

The first thought that I would leave with you is this: Be a builder and build for your self. Be a thinker. Don't be something just because your friends or your family happen to be

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Commencement Exercises Class of 1930 HONDO HIGH SCHOOL May 23, 8:00 P. M.

INVOCATION	REV. M. WILLIAMSON
SALUTATORY	REGINA NESTER
SONG	GLEE CLUB
VALEDICTORY	META GERDES
SAXAPHONE SOLO	ULRICH BURGER
ADDRESS	HON. HORACE KELTON, SR.
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	
BENEDICTION	REV. H. A. HEINEKE

TEXAS AND TEXANS

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By Will H. Mayes.

"All Texans for All Texas"

Brazos Valley Resources

The board in charge of the Brazos River conservation and reclamation project proposes a thorough economic survey of each county and area of the watershed of the river and its tributaries to determine the present and potential needs of each locality for water storage and use as well as for protection from excess of water. The development of the immense territory in the Brazos watershed is one of the most ambitious programs ever undertaken in Texas and the board is wise in making a complete survey before beginning to formulate plans. The value of the project to Texas seems almost immeasurable, provided the cost is not too excessive to justify the returns, which hardly seems probable, but which can be definitely determined by the proposed survey.

Cotulla Irrigation Bonds

Filing of a friendly suit to validate bonds of the LaSalle County water district revives hope of early work on the project, which would bring some 50,000 acres under irrigation and develop a section that, with sufficient water, would soon have fabulous agricultural production.

Interest in irrigation is being shown in many parts of the State and huge plans are afoot from the Lower Rio Grande Valley to the northemmost part of the Panhandle, including the valleys of the Rio Grande, the Colorado, the Brazos, the Guadalupe, the Trinity and the Red Rivers and many of the tributaries.

Factories Must Follow

Although Texas seems destined to become by far the greatest agricultural country in the world, even if only half the plans now being started for irrigation develop, a country can not prosper on agriculture alone. This State can never come fully into its own until it begins converting most of the products of the soil into finished merchandise. Cotton mills, wool and mohair mills, milk products plants, canneries—factories of every kind—must be built and operated. The great power plants, in anticipation of these needs, are getting ready and will be prepared to assist in this phase of Texas development, which is surely coming in the next decade.

More Railroads Needed

The Texan who thinks that motor lines are putting the railroads in the State out of business has another guess coming. The railroads are prospering and preparing for greater prosperity. In all parts of Texas they are extending lines or seeking permits to do so. Old lines are being made ready for greater business. Millions are being spent for improvement and equipment. The Texas Panhandle will be networked with lines in the near future. Extensions are being rushed to Mexican border towns of Southwest Texas. San Angelo and San Antonio are soon to be connected by a direct route through Fredericksburg, Mason, Brady and Eden. Abilene is seeking a Southwestern outlet through Cross Plains.

Timely Rains in Texas

The Texan drouth is over. Those who, a short while ago, foresaw dire disaster from drouth, are now fearing floods. The conservatives who believe in Texas are wearing broad smiles in the prospects for crops unsurpassed. This applies to every part of Texas. In a few places where lands have been overflowed or crops destroyed by hail, replanting will have to be done, but fortunately there is time for this, and with abundant moisture large crop yields are almost assured. There is every prospect for a prosperous year all over Texas.

Valley Port Bonds

The Brownsville navigation district which has already voted a \$2,000,000 bond issue, will vote on another issue of \$1,500,000, May 29, to meet the requirements of the National Government's appropriation for the Point Isabel-Brownsville port development, the funds to be used in construction of wharves, docks, warehouses, elevators and towing facilities. The Lower Rio Grande Valley now seems assured the shipping facilities so necessary to the extensive growing and marketing of its citrus fruits and winter-grown vegetables.

Upshur County Radishes

Don't get the thought that radishes are profitably grown in South Texas only. It is true that no other part of the State has been planting them by hundreds of acres, but at Gilmer, Upshur County, about 15 acres were grown and profitably sold this season, one order being received for 18,000 bunches. If the acreage had been twice as large a buyer would have located at Gilmer, but the growers have had to seek their own markets because of the small acreage.

Stock Raising Increased

Farmers in Ellis county are fencing more lands than at any time in years, which indicates that they are raising more cattle than before. Much of the land heretofore planted to cotton, corn and other field crops has been unfenced, but is now being used for pasture crops. Dairy cows require a large number of tourists will be from the pasture, and dairying is becoming

more popular in Central Texas.

Organizing Glider Clubs

San Angelo was the first Texas town to organize a "glider club" and train students in the new way of air travel, but Brady was not slow in following the example of its neighbor. A glider in the San Jacinto parade at San Antonio last month, the first to be seen there, attracted much attention. As yet, gliding is a novelty in Texas.

Moving Panhandle Grain

The railroads are determined not to be caught without enough cars to handle the big North Texas grain crop this season. Last year they were much censured for lack of cars, but the Santa Fe alone now has 15,000 cars held in storage for the new grain crop and will have 20,000 before the movement starts.

Red, Ripe Tomatoes

Tomatoes are being shipped by carloads to Eastern markets from as far north at Cuero, and the crop is ripening in the Southern part of East Texas. Despite freezes and frost that delayed planting Texas shipments will be heavy, and the gathering is furnishing labor for many laborers. Other truck crops, such as potatoes, cucumbers, cantaloupes and watermelons will show a large increase in Texas this year.

Mohair Goes East

Nearly 6,000,000 pounds of Texas mohair has gone to Boston this season or is on the way. The growers have received 35 and 45 cents a pound advances on it, and it will be stored ready for sale at such time as the market price justifies a sale. The Texas warehousemen and the co-operators have adjusted their differences and everybody in the industry seems happy.

Good Business Stunt

A hachette at Granger recently held an old fiddlers' contest and square dance, which was attended by some 500 people. It brought back treasured memories to many and made new friends for the owners of the business. The business man who studies to popularize his business, whatever it may be, is likely to profit by it. In the scramble for more business the making of new friendships too often is overlooked. Business can be so conducted as to make its commercialism too outstanding.

Boat Racing Revived

Two thousand people lined the shores of Lake Abbott, near Seguin, recently to see the first of a series of boat races, many going early to camp by the lakeside and spend the day under the shady trees. There were several races, all four miles, and much enthusiasm was in evidence. Boat racing will always be a popular pastime, why not more of it.

Census Returns

The census returns show that all the large cities of Texas, most of the small cities and many of the large towns have increased in population in the past ten years. Few of the towns under 1,500 in population show any increase and most of the villages have decreased. Doubtless the full returns will show that city population has increased largely by the moving of small town and country people to the cities and that their places have not been filled. It is largely a shifting, rather than an increase, of population and this is due principally to the fact that labor in the larger places has been more productive than in the country. The present unemployment situation will drive much of this population back to the country if 1930 crops are even fairly good and conditions will soon be readjusted. The measure of prosperity is not based on where the greater number of people happen to be when the census is taken, but on whether the State or country as a whole is increasing in population.

Future of Village Life

There are many who predict the extinction of small town life, believing as they do that good roads and automobiles will cause the country people to go to the cities to trade. On the other hand those who live in the congested city districts see in the movement to build up suburban community centers and residence districts a disposition of the people to avoid the crowded centers. The very things that are drawing vast hordes from country to city will soon be driving them to the country. People are tiring of the noise, the lights, the crowding and elbowing, and are beginning to seek the quiet, the restfulness, the ease and comfort of the country. So long as folks have nerves and fairly good judgment in caring for themselves more than for money, village life will not disappear.

Tourist Travel Grows

The American Automobile Association estimates that 11,500,000 automobiles will carry 45,000,000 persons on tours of the United States and Canada this summer most of them seeking points of new interest and places where they may rest a while from the strenuous affairs of business. The call of the country is being heard as never before and the country should be ready to care for these people. While country people will be taking a "look-in" on city life and city resorts, by far the largest numbers of tourists will be from the pasture, and dairying is becoming

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Our Castroville Page

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG
ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News and advertising copy for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Huehner is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1930

One of the severest wind, hail and rain storms witnessed in many years passed over this section last Tuesday night, doing great damage to oats and corn crops, hundreds of chickens were killed, trees were blown down with 3.34 inches of rain falling in less than an hour. It put out plenty of stock water.

Messrs. John B. Ahr and Chas. Groff of San Antonio visited relatives and friends in our midst Sunday.

Messrs. August Groff and Eddie Pankratz and Misses Emily Pankratz and Olla Gross of San Antonio visited Mrs. M. A. Groff Sunday evening.

The dance at the Electric Park Hall Sunday night was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vonfli, visited Mrs. Louis Ahr, step sister of Mrs. Vonfli, who is seriously ill, at home in San Antonio Monday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Groff.

Mrs. Adolph Ahr and daughter Miss Gladys, were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mrs. Joe Hans and daughters, Alene and Vera Lee, from San Antonio were visiting here Sunday.

UPPER QUIHI NOTES.

Cornelius Haby, Hilard Mumme, B. H. Brucks, E. W. Balzen, Ernest Saathoff, Melvin Balzen, W. M. Saathoff, John Sturm, Louis Heyen and son, Milton, were business visitors in San Antonio Monday.

A good many from here went to Hondo last Sunday to witness the ball game between Quihi and Hondo. The score was 3 to 1 in favor of Hondo.

Miss Pauline Saathoff spent Monday in San Antonio with her sister Mrs. Arthur Schulte.

Mrs. John Carle accompanied by her husband and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Carle and Henry Carle, was taken to the Santa Rosa Infirmary Tuesday for an operation. At this writing she is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eckhart and daughters, Misses Ethel, Gladys, Mary Lee and Embell of Bandera

Misses Mamie Halbardier and "Steffy" Tile were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brieden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and family and Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schott and daughter, Vivian, were visiting Otto Huegele and family at Yellow Banks Sunday night.

Rev. Jacob Lenzen was a San Antonio visitor last Friday.

Miss Freddie Jagge was visiting in San Antonio Tuesday.

The card and bnnco party given in the St. Louis Parish Hall Wednesday was well attended and very much enjoyed.

DIED.

Mr. Joseph Kauffmann died at an infirmary at San Antonio Thursday aged about eighty years. His corpse was brought to Castroville and laid to rest at Saint Louis Cemetery Saturday morning, Rev. Father Lenzen performing the last sad rites. Deceased was never married. He is survived by one brother, Mr. Ed. Kauffmann, of this place, and a number of other near and dear relatives to mourn his loss. May he rest in peace.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moehring and son, Harold, and daughter, Virginie of Lower Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen and son, Earl, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Schuehle and daughter, Jerry, Alvin Balzen and Roy Daily from here spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Balzen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schweers, Mrs. C. H. Fous, Mrs. Joe E. Tschirhart Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Balzen and son Myrlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Carle and Henry Carle visited Mrs. Carle in the hospital Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neuman and daughters, Misses Hulda and Esther Wilkies, and daughter, Velnell, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bader and daughters Mary Adell and Betty Jean, were Hondo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Annie Weiblin from Castroville and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halty

from the Sauz spent one day the past week with Mr. and Mrs. George Ballzen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Oefinger were in Hondo one day this week shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burger visited Mrs. John Carle in the hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Zimmerman and daughters from San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bendele and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bendele and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Stiegler and son, Lenard, and daughter, Dorothy Ann, from Vandenberg Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Tschirhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schweers and sons, C. J. and J. D. of Bader Settlement spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fous.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fous visited Mrs. John Carle in the hospital in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Neitenhoefer and Mr. and Mrs. Ehme Saathoff spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oefinger.

QUIHI NOTES.

"Why beholdest thou the mote in thy brother's eye, but considerereth not the beam that is in thine own eye?" Matt. 7: 3.

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock divine service will be held in St. John's Lutheran church at New Fountain. All are cordially invited to this service. A report of the recent convention of the Lutheran Synod of Texas will be read by the pastor. All members should hear this report.

At 7:45 o'clock, Sunday night, divine service in the English tongue, will be held in Bethlehem Lutheran church. All are cordially welcome to this and all services in this church. Please bring your English hymn books to this service.

Next Thursday is Ascension Day and in keeping with an old and beautiful custom of Bethlehem Lutheran congregation a memorial service will be held this day at 10 o'clock on the Lutheran cemetery. All are cordially invited to this service. It is hoped that all graves and the cemetery will be cleaned and decorated for this occasion.

On Monday morning, June 2, Rev. Hasskari will organize a confirmation class. The opening exercises will begin at 9 o'clock in the Quihi Parish Hall.

Last Sunday night the Quihi Lutheran League rendered a splendid literary-musical program in Bethlehem Lutheran church. An over flowing and appreciative audience filled the church and listened in as best it

could at doors and open windows. Mrs. Henry Schuehle officiated at the piano in her usual efficient and affable manner while the church choir rendered several fine selections, as did the Quihi Male Chorus and others who were scheduled for musical selections. A finely pointed declamation by Miss Anna Mae Fillemann was greatly appreciated, as were also several select readings which were all well read, and instructive and which were followed by a very good and timely address by Mrs. Louis Oefinger.

In its regular business meeting the Luther League decided to arrange a suitable program of songs, play games, etc. for the coming 4th of July. A committee, composed of Messrs. Frank Boehle, Walter Grell and Misses Emma Nienhoefner and Hulda Oefinger was appointed to carry out this resolution.

FOR THE BEEKEEPER

At this writing, April 24, 1930, the great American desert honey plant, Huajilla, has not yet bloomed enough to furnish us that great Huajilla honey, and from all prospects it will not yield honey this year. So No. 2, that is mesquite and catclaw, will be our next hope.

The scrub catclaw bush, or so-called sandy land catclaw, is covered with blooms, and mesquite is tagging out profusely, and the beekeeper hopes for hot clear days with occasional hard showers in the night of time (I mean showers of rain) of about 2 inches of water or more once or twice a week. That might bring us quite a honey flow from the mesquite.

Owing to the drought our weeds are all fast drying up and will be gone and forgotten very soon so the weed honey will not spoil any of our honey sales.

Owing to financial stringency I had to refuse a liberal offer of 70 colonies of bees at \$7.50 per colony. Someone could double his money the first year on those bees unless by some hard luck he should have bought them in the year 1930. But even then he would have something to take his mind away from the business worries.

During the 30 years of my bee-keeping I have never seen a spring with so little honey as this 1930 spring. But the cattle industry and general farming are not bedded on roses either. Therefore, let us keep a stiff upper lip, do not cry over split milk nor over the prospects that did not materialize. Keep a watch over your colonies and if necessary feed them with sugar syrup to keep them alive until the heavens will

treatment a few years ago, and also prescribed a strict diet—no meat, no starchy food, no sweets of any kind and no worry. Of course to the letter except: In the place of the sweets, I used real honey, but as I had used sugar before, I go well so quick that I surprised the Doctor's successor, to whom he referred my case.

If the wholesome effects of honey were known to the people, and if artificial sweets like sugar would be curtailed and honey used in the place we would all live longer and be worried about where to sell honey.

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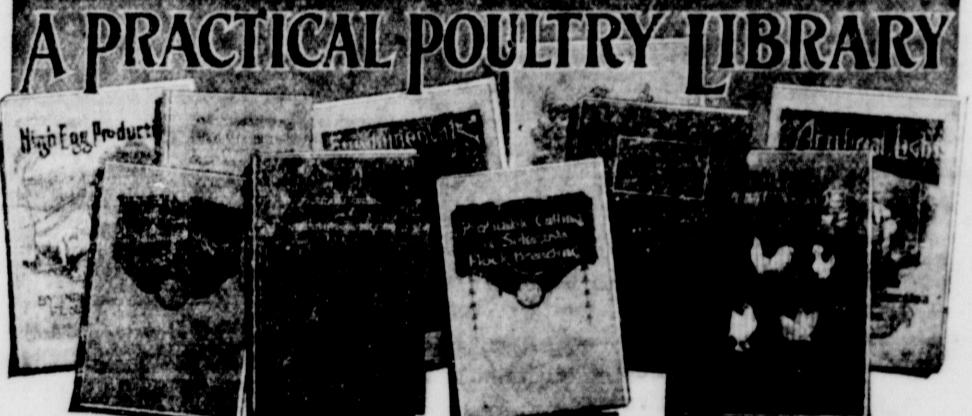
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TAINS.

On Sunday, May 11, Mrs. Edmund Keller entertained a number of friends at the Brackenridge Park honoring Miss Laura Santelben. The occasion being her birthday anniversary.

The day was pleasantly spent picnicking, playing games, kodaking

Those present were: Misses Elsie and Lenora Koenig and Mildred Stire from here, Messrs. Emmett and Tony Curry, Horace Wilson and Mrs. D. Fernandez of San Antonio and the honoree and the hostesses.

Eugene Jungman and sons from the Portance were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.

Henry Haegelin from Rio Medina was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Eddie Bende of the Franchise underwent a serious operation at the Santa Rosa Infirmary Monday. At this writing she is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Louis Wetts and children, Miss Oga Geiger and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ahr from San Antonio attended the program of the LaCoste High School here last Friday.

Mrs. Lena Reicherer returned home one day last week after having spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Trip, and family in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Joor and Mr. Lee Sturgeon and daughter from San Antonio were here last Friday to see the Sweet Sixteen parties.

Frank Zeinert from Mac Dona was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. John Droitcourt from Castroville spent the week-end with Mrs. Droitcourt.

Alex Hutzler is the proud owner of a new Chevrolet Coupe, purchased from the Dillon Chevrolet Co. of Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tschirhart of Castroville visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitcourt Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and daughter were San Antonio visitors today.

Mrs. Alex X. Haby of Rio Medina visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rud. Bippert here this week.

Miss Trip of Mac Dona was a business visitor here Tuesday.

C. M. Merritt, County Agent from Hondo, was seen here Wednesday.

Louis Koehler from Mac Dona was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

Miss Cornelia Biediger left last week for San Antonio where she will attend Draughon's Business College.

Mrs. Julius Ahr and son, C. J., attended the Card Party at Castroville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Rud. D. Bippert are proud parents of an 8 pound boy on Sunday, May 11.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and children were pleasant visitors with Eugene Jungman and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Tripp and Mrs. C. Tripp of Mac Dona were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger and daughter were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mangold in San Antonio last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lutz and children from D'Hanis were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rud. D. Bippert and daughter Monday.

Mrs. A. P. Parma, Messrs. R. J. Jungman and A. E. Jungman were in San Antonio Friday. They were accompanied home by A. P. Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Maiers and son from San Antonio spent a pleasant evening with Henry Haas and family Wednesday.

Mrs. John C. Biediger, who has been receiving treatment at the Santa Rosa Infirmary since last Friday, underwent a serious operation Wednesday morning. At this writing she was getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman and daughter, Hazel, spent Sunday evening with Emil Mangold and family at their home.

Ed. Wells from Lytle was here for a directors meeting of the LaCoste National Bank.

P. F. Christilles was a business visitor in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. C. S. Hellums and Miss Evelyn Loessberg were San Antonio visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lamon and son from Pearon spent Monday here with their homefolks.

Messrs. Joe Droitcourt and Julius Ahr were at Bandera for the baseball game Sunday.

Mr. Shelton of Mac Dona was a business caller here the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bohl and Wm. Bohl were San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

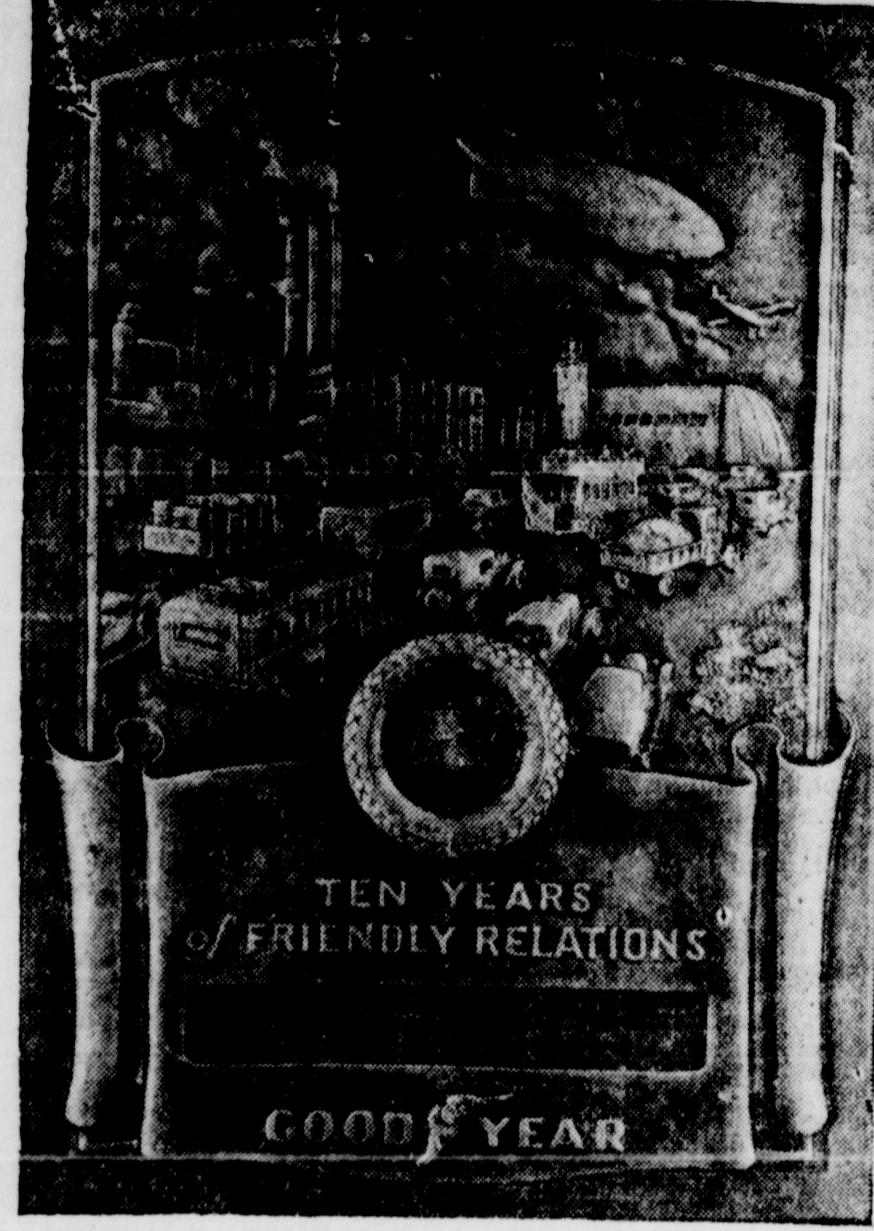
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gutzeit of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kaufman and son from San Antonio, Mrs. Louis Gross, Mesdames John and Otto Jungman attended the funeral of Miss Sallie Fletcher the Potranco last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Fern S. Dunn of Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Nickell of Spofford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Hawkes and children and Mrs. Chas. L. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes, on Mother's Day. Mrs. Austin expects to extend her visit for a few weeks.

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Award of a beautiful bronze plaque has been made to Aug. E. Weyand of Hondo by the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., of Akron, in recognition of the local business man's 10 years of friendly relations with the Ohio Company.

The plaque was accompanied by a letter from P. W. Litchfield, president of the Goodyear Co., expressing his appreciation of Mr. Weyand's loyal representation of his concern

The name of Mr. Weyand and the Goodyear Co., both appear in up-raised letters upon the bottom of the plaque. Various vehicles of transportation, including the private automobile, bus, truck, railroad train steamboat, airplane and Zeppelin, are portrayed in bas-relief.

In the background looms the main plant of Goodyear's home factory at Akron and the huge Zeppelin factory and dock which was completed recently on Akron's Municipal airport.

In the center foreground appears a Goodyear All-Weather Tread autotire which encircles the flag of the Goodyear Co.

The picture symbolizes the advancement of transportation facilities being stimulated by the co-operative efforts of the vast Goodyear organization and Mr. Weyand, its local representative.

Mr. Weyand plans to hang the beautiful plaque in a conspicuous place in his store so that his many patrons and friends may inspect it.

YANCEY NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCrea and Mr. L. W. McCrea were at Castroville Sunday sight seeing. They spent a pleasant day.

Our school closed a very successful term last Friday. Most of the teachers left for their homes. The faculty has been re-elected for next year.

Prof. Roensch will leave for College Station where he will take a six weeks course in Agriculture.

Mr. Nixon Wilson received an injury to one of his eyes, and is now in San Antonio under treatment of a specialist.

Mr. Milton Burgin and family are in San Antonio on business.

Miss Joy Weathers of Pearsall is visiting her sister, Mrs. Milton Burgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Ward, Mrs. Berry and daughter, Miss Martha were in San Antonio visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thompson.

Mr. Othello Berry returned from Oklahoma last week, where he had been for several weeks working in the oil field.

Mr. W. W. Wilson and Mr. Ray Ward made two trips to Somerset last week-end.

C. A. Burgin and Mr. Tom Joiner were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Redus and daughter, Miss Alene, of Devine were in Yancey a short time Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heiligman and children and Mrs. Charles Heiligman, Sr., and Miss Ruth Hicks visited Mr. Willie Faseler's family last Saturday. Mrs. Alfred Wiemers, who was in a wreck several weeks ago, is staying there. She is getting along nicely at present.

We are glad that Edwin Bohmfalk is convalescent after his appendicitis

operation. He was able to leave the hospital and is now at the home of Supt. W. N. Saathoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Howard passed through here Monday on their way to Devine visiting relatives.

Mr. F. W. Bohmfalk and daughter, Helen, were in Hondo Monday.

The seventh day adventists' school came to a close Friday. A nice program had been prepared. Prof. Shaffer did some very efficient work. He will return to his home in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vordenbauer men of San Antonio spent several days here last week visiting Grandma Faseler and the other Faseler families.

AN INDUSTRIAL-MINDED PEOPLE.

Texans are becoming more and more industrial-minded, if editors of the weekly and daily press are a trust-worthy gauge.

With the center-of-population creeping consistently westward and southward, the necessity for development of manufacturing enterprise in new and populous areas becomes more apparent.

Moreover, the state which invites and fosters industrial development now is the state which five and ten years ago hence will stand out as consistently prosperous.

Texas, perhaps, more than any state in the Union, possesses all of the resources essential to a sound and healthy industrial development. If Texans so will it, the 1940 census will reveal that she stands in the

foremost of the industrial and prosperous states—From Editorials of the Month.

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Windrow's Store News



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Each spring, Take-A-Picture Week serves as a reminder to camerists the country over to get busy with their Kodaks—to take advantage of at least a few of the many chances for excellent snapshots that are at hand.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richter entertained with a dinner Sunday in honor of their grand-daughter, Miss Regina Nester, who is a member of the graduating class of Hondo High School. Miss Nester won second highest honors and will deliver the salutation at the graduation exercises tonight.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company. Road Maps of Medina County, cloth, \$5; paper, \$3. tf

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Decker and daughter, Miss Adele, and Mrs. J. M. Finger went to Austin Thursday where they will visit John Finger Jr., who is a student at St. Edwards College.

Mrs. E. J. Murray and daughter, Miss Pauline, and Mr. Lynton Barnes were out from San Antonio Tuesday for the play "Nothing but the Truth," presented by members of the Senior Class.

The ladies of the Baptist church are going to serve a lunch consisting of coffee, hot tamales, tea, sandwiches, pie and cake at the Chamber of Commerce hall May 29 from 3 to 6:30.

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK GENUINE LINEN LARIET ROPING ROPE 7-16 AND 3-8. RRICED REASONABLE. H. S. BULGERIN.

Miss Irene Saathoff returned today from Lockhart where she has been in charge of the Department of Music in the city schools for the past year.

Mr. Arthur Dawson, District Clerk of Frio County, was here from Pearsall Tuesday looking over the records in County Clerk Jungman's office.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and daughter, Miss Irene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel at the ranch above Castroville.

Mrs. L. J. Brucks and daughter, Miss Lillian, and Mrs. R. B. Reynolds and daughter, Elizabeth, were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

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WILL BEGIN THIS WEEK, AT THE HOURS OF 8:00 P. M. TO 9:30 P. M., AND WILL CONTINUE FOR BALANCE OF THIS YEAR. THIS SCHOOL IS FREE AND IS OPERATED NOT ONLY FOR OUR MECHANICS BUT FOR ALL MECHANICS IN HONDO WHO WORK ON CHEVROLET CARS.

SMALL TOWN NOT DOOMED.

If the small town really were doomed, it would be a most deplorable fact.

Despite some talk to that effect, the small town is not doomed. Pessimists may have inferred as much from early census reports, but Texas editors see quite a different picture in the figures.

Some Texas towns show a slight decrease in population, but others have shown increases which vary from slight to surprising percentages. The decreases reflected in census reports, in most cases were the result of a process of adjustment between the industrial and agricultural fields. The encouraging aspect of the picture, on the other hand, is that the same economic adjustment which subtracted a little from small town populations in the past ten years, in the next will reverse its process.

In other words, the industrial trend is to smaller communities. High tension transmission lines have brought to the same cheap electrical power which formerly constituted a decisive factor in favor of big-city industrial locations. Proximity to raw material sources, again, is an advantage peculiar to the small town which the great city can never possess. Cheaper industrial sites, and better living conditions for employees, constitutes a final, and often determining, factor in favor of the small town factory.

Texas produces such an enormous quantity of agricultural raw materials, that industries depending upon them, in these days of strenuous competition, can no longer evade placing factories within the state. When this movement, which has already begun, attains its full momentum, the small towns of Texas will register gains in population most surprising to those who have not read the handwriting on the wall.

Only one unfavorable factor, in the opinion of many editors, clouds the skies, and that is a threatened disposition to levy discriminatory taxes against prosperous industries.

With that one problem yet to be solved, the outlook in Texas for small town development appears most favorable. The day of the small town has dawned, and the next census will reveal a much different situation with respect to small town populations—from Editorials of the Month.

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A. J. Hutzler was a several days' visitors to the Alamo City during the week.

You know the damage done by hail, we can protect you against this, call O. H. Miller. 39-4t

Mrs. Charles Q. Wood of Lexington, Kentucky, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Barnes and daughter, Miss Mary Lois, were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Superintendent Turner was here from Devine Wednesday attending the rural school graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hornung and son, Vivian, and Edward Mechler spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Williamson returned home the early part of the week from their visit to Dallas.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Mrs. F. H. Schweers and Mrs. Fletcher Davis spent Thursday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller were here Sunday from San Antonio visiting Dan's mother, Mrs. Charlotte Miller.

Mrs. Herman Knippa was over Melville Smith was here from St. from Castroville Wednesday attending Mary's University for a week-end visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith.

The children, with quite a number of grown-ups, of St. John's parish enjoyed a picnic at Castroville Tuesday.

Miss Pauline Turner, who taught school at Castroville the past year, was here Wednesday for the graduation exercises.

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Prof. and Mrs. Currin of Natalia came over with the Natalia delegates Wednesday for the rural school graduation exercises.

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Mr. Hilmer Haegelin and George Butts visited friends at Nixon Sunday. While there they attended the Commencement Exercises of the Nixon High School.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Merritt and children were called to Luling Friday on account of the death of Mr. Merritt's two-year-old nephew, the son of his brother.

Hondo's patients, Mrs. George Carle and Mrs. Henry Windrow, at the Santa Rosa were reported convalescent and would soon be able to come home.

The New Fountain Sunday School will have a picnic at the Theo. Wiemers grove, Thursday, May 29. Program at 2:30 P. M. Everybody welcome.

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Speece at residence opposite north-
west corner of courthouse.

Mrs. Bertha Rothe of San Antonio
was the guest of her mother, Mrs.

Charlotte Miller, on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth McClaughtry of San

Antonio spent last week-end here as

the guest of Miss Ruth Watson.

Miss Maxine Jones had as her

guests this week Misses Emma Rives
and Kitty Mays Jones of Uvalde.

Mr. and Mrs. John Birtolt and
Mrs. L. A. Proctor of San Antonio
visited Mrs. H. Moore on Sunday.

Misses Helen and Charlotte Miller
spent last week-end here with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Miller.

Misses Redus and Halliburton left
last Friday for their homes at Devine
their school at Live Oak having closed.

Mrs. S. R. Coffey had as her guests
on Sunday Keith Tittsworth and her
son, Raymond Martin, of San Antonio.

Mrs. George Windrow of San Antonio
spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray

Taylor.

Elmon Taylor and bride arrived
here Tuesday from Kansas and are
the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray

Taylor.

Mrs. Russell Speece had as her
guests last week, Dr. and Mrs. Mur-

ray Bradford and children of San

Antonio.

Mr. Geo. Carle came out from San

Antonio Thursday, he reports Mrs.

Carle getting along as well as can

be expected.

Mr. Quinn Ney and Charlie Gill-

iam visited friends in San Marcos

Monday evening, returning early

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Henry Schuehle, Jr., was down

from the ranch Thursday. Mr.

Schuehle says his section is in need

MRS. T. H. REYNOLDS.

The subject of this sketch, Mrs. Jessie Parke Reynolds, was born on November 16, 1840, at Knocknahr, County of Sligo, Ireland. She died in her home in this place Tuesday night, May 13, 1930, having attained a ripe old age of 89 years, 6 months and 27 days. She had been in a feeble condition for some time, owing to the infirmities of advancing years, and death was the result of old age.

Mrs. Reynolds came to America in 1855, settling at Southington, Connecticut. Here she met and on January 23, 1870, married Thomas Reynolds. In 1878, they came to Texas, making their home at Laredo, where they remained until 1888 when Mr. Reynolds came to Hondo. He accepted the position of section foreman for the Southern Pacific R. R. Reynolds retired from the service of the railroad company in 1910, and the family continued to reside in Hondo. Mr. Reynolds died in Hondo on August 7, 1922.

Four children were born to them. Four of them died in infancy. Survivors are Robert B. Reynolds, Hondo, Joseph Reynolds of San Antonio and Mrs. L. J. Brucks of Hondo. Fifteen grand-children and great grand-children also survive.

Mrs. Reynolds is also survived by her brothers, Roger Parke of Ireland and Charles Parke and Robert both of New York City. Among relatives are two grand nieces who are nuns. One is in Ireland and the other is Sister Mary Berchmans of the Incarnate Word Convent, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Reynolds had always been a devout Catholic. It was in her home, at that the railroad section house, that first Catholic services were held in Hondo. This was in the fall of 1888, and Rev. F. Erhardt of D'Hanis conducted the services. She was active in all the affairs of her church.

The decrepitities of age forbade much of the growth of St. John's Evangelists church is due to the devotion of this good woman.

Motivated by all the assurances her doctor gave, she approached the end of a long, useful life calmly and with the views of the sunset of a summer day, and her body sleeps in a ground made sacred by that sublime and trusting faith.

The funeral was conducted by her beloved pastor, Rev. T. A. Flynn, on May 13, 1930. The service was made in the Catholic church of Oakwood cemetery. The survivors were Ed Ney, F. G. Fannin, Charles Filleman, Felix J. Henry Batot and John M. M.

Those who loved her and were to her she will be sadly missed, that grief is melted by the solace of knowing that she is one whose days had been numbered and she went as one goes to a feast fully prepared and afraid.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM OUR LADY OF THE LAKE.

May 18—Drama, "Penrod," by the School Dramatic Club at eight in the evening.

May 25—Baccalaureate Sunday. High Mass at half after nine in the morning. Very Reverend Peter Mueller, Celebrant. Sermon by Rev. A. C. Dusseau, O. M. I.

Reception at eleven o'clock.

May 26—Luncheon at twelve o'clock. "Ingomar," by the College Club, at eight o'clock in the evening.

May 27—Program by Demonstration School Classes.

May 28—Planting of the Palm by College Graduates, at half after four in the evening. Commencement exercises at eight o'clock in the evening. Most Reverend Arthur J. Hart, D. D., Archbishop of San Antonio, presiding. Address by Hon. Sydney J. Brooks.

The Avil Herald family has been

invited with an invitation to attend

the program of Commencement Exercises of Our Lady of the

College of San Antonio.

On the long list of graduates for 1930 are Misses Mary Octavia Anne Elizabeth Davis of Hondo and their Bachelor of Arts degrees from the college. This degree carries with it a permanent certificate.

The playing of the drama, "Penrod," on May 18th, Miss Helen Anne Miller of Hondo will take

the part of Her

Hamilton Dade. Miss Miller is

the first college year at the Lady

of Lake, having finished High

in that institution.

May 25, Misses Adele Decker and Helen Miller of Hondo will take

the part of Her

in the play, "Ingomar," to be

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ZEN of the Y. D.

A Novel of the Foothills

By ROBERT STEAD
Author of
"The Cow Punchers" — "The Homesteaders" — "Neighbors," etc.

Up to this time Transley had not thought seriously of matrimony. A wife and children he regarded as desirable appendages for declining years—for the quiet and shade of that evening toward which every active man looks with such irrational confidence. But for the heat of the day—for the climb up the hill—they would be unnecessary encumbrances. Transley always took a practical view of these matters. It need hardly be stated that he had never been in love; in fact, Transley would have scouted the idea of any passion which would throw the practical to the winds. That was a thing for weaklings, and, possibly, for women.

But his attachment for Zen was a very practical matter. Zen was the only help to the Y.D. wealth. She would bring to her husband capital and credit which Transley could use to good advantage in his business. She would also bring personality—a delightful individuality—of which any man might be proud. She had that fine combination of attractions which is expressed in the word charm. She had health, constitution, beauty. She had courage and sympathy. She had qualities of leadership. She would bring to him not only the material means to build a house, but the spiritual qualities which make a home. She would make him the envy of all his acquaintances. And a jealous man would be envious.

So after the work on the excavations had been properly started Transley turned over the detail to the always dependable Linder, and, returning that he had not had a final settlement with Y.D., set out for the ranch in the foothills. While spending the long autumn day alone in the buggy he was able to turn over and develop plans on an even more ambitious scale than had occurred to him amid the bustle of his men and horses.

The valley was lying very warm and beautiful in yellow light, and the setting sun was just capping the mountains with gold and painting great splashes of copper and bronze on the few clouds becalmed in the heavens, when Transley's tired team jogged in among the cluster of buildings known as the Y.D. The rancher met him at the bunk-house. He greeted Transley with a firm grip of his great palm, and with jaws open in suggestion of a sort of carnivorous hostility.

"Come up to the house, Transley," he said, turning the horses over to the attention of a ranch hand. "Supper is just ready, an' the women will be glad to see you."

Zen, walking with a limp, met them at the gate. Transley's eyes reassured him that he had not been led astray by any process of idealization; Zen was all his mind had been picturing her. She was worth the effort. Indeed, a strange sensation of tenderness suffused him as he walked by her side to the door, supporting her a little with his hand. There they were ushered in by the rancher's wife, and Zen herself showed Transley to a cool room where were white towels and soft water from the river and quiet and restful furnishings. Transley congratulated himself that he could hardly hope to be better received.

After supper he had a social drink with Y.D., and then the two sat on the veranda and smoked and discussed business. Transley found Y.D. more liberal in the adjustment than he had expected. He had not yet realized to what an extent he had won the old rancher's confidence, and Y.D. was a man who, when his confidence had been won, never haggled over details. He was willing to compromise the loss on the operations on the South Y.D. on a scale that was not merely just, but generous.

This settled, Transley proceeded to interest Y.D. in the work in which he was now engaged. He drew a picture of activities in the little metropolis such as stirred the rancher's interest.

"Well, well," Y.D. would say. "Transley, I've known that little hole for about thirty years, an' never seen it was any good except to get drunk in . . . I've seen more things there than is down in the books."

"You wouldn't know the change that has come about in a few months," said Transley, with enthusiasm. "Double shifts working by electric light, Y.D.! What do you think of that? Men with rolls of money that would choke a cow sleeping out in tents because they can't get a roof over them. Why, man, I didn't have to hunt a job there; the job hunted me. I could have had a dozen jobs at my own price. If I could have handled them, it's just as if prosperity was a river which had been trickling through that town for thirty years, and all of a sudden the dam up in the foothills gives away and down she comes with a rush. Lots which sold

a year ago for a hundred dollars are selling now for five hundred—sometimes more. Old ranchers living on the bald-headed a few years ago find themselves today the owners of city property worth millions, and are dressing uncomfortably, in keeping with their wealth, or vainly trying to drink up the surplus. So far sense and brains has had nothing to do with it, Y.D., absolutely nothing. It has been fool luck. But the brains are coming in now, and the brains will get the money, in the long run."

Transley paused and lit another cigar. Y.D. rolled his in his lips, reflecting.

"I mind some doin's in that burg," he said, as though the memory of them was of greater importance than all that might be happening now.

Transley switched back to business. "We ought to be in on it, Y.D.," he said. "Not on the fly-by-night stuff; I don't mean that. But I could take twice the contracts if I had twice the outfit."

Y.D. brought his chair down on to all four legs and removed his cigar.

"You mean we should hit her together?" he demanded.

"It would be a great compliment to me, if you had that confidence in me, and I'm sure it would make some good money for you."

"How'd you work it?"

"You have a bunch of horses running here on the ranch, eating their heads off. Many of them are broke, and the others would soon tame down with a scraper behind them. Let me put them to work. I'd have to have equipment, too. Your name on the back of my note would get it, and you wouldn't actually have to put up a dollar. Then we'd make an inventory of what you put into the firm and what I put into it, and we'd divide the earnings in proportion."

"After payin' you a salary as manager, of course," suggested Y.D.

"That's immaterial. With a bigger outfit and more capital I can make so much more money out of the earnings that I don't care whether I get a salary or not. But I wouldn't figure on going on contracting all the time for other people. We might as well have the cream as the skinned milk. This is the way it's done. We go to the owner of a block of lots somewhere where there's no building going on. He's anxious to start something, because as soon as building starts in that district the lots will sell for two or three times what they do now. We say to him, 'Give us every second lot in your block and we'll put a house on it.' In this way we get the lots for a trifl[e]; perhaps for nothing. Then we build a lot of houses, more or less to the same plan. We put 'em up quick and cheap. We build 'em to sell, not to live in. Then we mortgage 'em for the last cent we can get. Then we put the price up to twice what the mortgage is and sell them as fast as we can build them, getting our equity out and leaving the purchasers to settle with the mortgage company. It's good for from 30 to 40 per cent profit, not per annum, but per transaction."

"It sounds interesting," said Y.D. "an' I suppose I might as well put my

spare horses an' credit to work. I don't mind drivin' down with you to-morrow an' lookin' her over first hand."

This was all Transley had hoped for, and the talk turned to less material matters. After a while Zen joined them, and a little later Y.D. left to attend to some business at the bunkhouse.

"Your father and I may go into partnership, Zen," Transley said to her, when they were alone together. He explained in a general way the venture that was afoot.

"That will be very interesting," she agreed.

"Will you be interested?"

"Of course. I am interested in everything that Dad undertakes."

"And are you not—will you not be just a little interested in the things that I undertake?"

She paused a moment before replying. The dusk had settled about them, and he could not see the contour of her face, but he knew that she had realized the significance of his question.

"Why yes," she said at length, "I will be interested in what you undertake. You will be Dad's partner."

Her evasion nettled him.

"Zen," he said, "why shouldn't we understand each other?"

"Don't we?" She had turned slightly toward him, and he could feel the laughing mockery in her eyes.

"I rather think we do," he answered, "only we—at least, you—won't admit it."

(To Be Continued.)

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DEVINE NEWSLETS.
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From The Devine News.
COUNTY BOARD CANVASSES
TRUSTEE RETURNS.

The County Board of Education met in Hondo, Saturday, all members present (including Mr. Rothe, of D'Hanis-Yancey precinct and Mr. Wurzbach of the Castroville-LaCoste precinct, new members, and canvassed returns of the recent trustee election, making appointments, as suggested, where no election were held. Another meeting will be held in August, when all school trustees of the county, and teachers who can do so, will be invited, when the matter of school grading will be discussed. It

will be the policy of the board to consolidate, as far as possible, the smaller schools; and transfer high school pupils to Central High schools, in conformity with the new laws and regulations. Local trustees are earnestly requested to inform themselves as far as possible, and to co-operate with the county board, to avoid friction and dissatisfaction. The State which is furnishing most of the public school funds, is determined that we have more efficiency and less waste in the administration of the affairs of the public schools. Neither the County Superintendent nor the board wishes to be arbitrary, or to create dissatisfaction in the administration of the school affairs of the county rural schools.

J. Frank Newsom and Joe Cox of Goldfinch and H. G. Wilson of Yancey were circulating with the stockmen of the town Monday and several deals are pending we understand.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. Ferdinand Rihm spent last Wednesday in San Antonio.

Mrs. R. L. Nations and sons and Mrs. Ernest Bungarten and children from Somerset and Miss Inez Nations from San Antonio were guests of Hugh Love and daughter, Miss Vick.

Mrs. Robt. Dayhoff and Mrs. Duncan Tomerlin from Hondo spent a few minutes with Mrs. Louis Biry Friday.

Prof. V. S. Skaggs from Three Rivers spent Friday night with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blackburn and mother, Mrs. J. A. Blackburn, have had as their guests the last Sunday Prof. and Mrs. S. L. Winn and children from Uvalde and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Berry and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn from San Antonio.

Ralph Bader and Ferdinand Rihm spent Saturday in Hondo.

Mrs. Frank Biry and children spent Saturday evening in Hondo.

Chas. Owens and Woods Love from San Antonio spent the week-end with Raymond Blackburn.

Gene Boh from Devine spent Thursday morning here.

Mrs. Othel Deivian and Fred Smith and Misses Rebecca and Dorothy Love from San Antonio spent Sunday evening with Miss Vick Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton Schmidt and sons spent one day the past week with his mother, Mrs. Geo. Schmidt at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Posch and little grandson, Jimmy, spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Mr. Louis Rihm and son, Fritz spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Miss Hetty Dippert from Castroville spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. F. J. Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCough from San Antonio were guests of her mother, Mrs. Emma Haas.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biltz and daughters spent one day the past week in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader and daughter spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Bader, at Three Points.

HOME GROWN VEGETABLES
ASSUME PLACE OF CASH
ON COTTON FARMS.

Every cotton farmer could use enough of his cotton land to grow an ample supply of vegetables for his family without cutting down his net income, according to W. R. Beattie, extension horticulturist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The farmer's net income, he says, does not consist of actual cash, but includes everything grown on the farm which contributes to the family living. The products of the farm dairy, of the poultry flock and of a good garden, when used on the farm, constitute just as definite income as though the actual cash were received for the crops or livestock grown and the money used for buying food for the family.

The vegetable garden is an important factor in the production of net income on the average cotton farm, Mr. Beattie says. About one-

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The trying time in a young girl's life is reached when Nature leads her uncertain steps across the line which divides girlhood and womanhood. Neglect at this critical period

is largely responsible for much of the misery of women. Often there is need of some safe, strengthening tonic to overcome the languor, nervousness and distress girls commonly experience at this time. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription soothes the nerves, encourages the appetite and helps the entire womanly organism. It is purely herbal—contains no narcotic, nor any harmful ingredient. Druggists, Tablets or liquid.

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THE MONTH'S NEWS.

May, the gentle inspiration of so many poets, this year stepped out of character and became a furious bag.

Consequently, headlines which reared on front pages found their way to the editorial columns and perched rear after rear of learned discussion.

Form, mobs and census established virtual monopoly of Texas news.

At Sherman, where a negro had fled to the most heinous crime the books, an infuriated mob denied the prerogatives of the law.

Entered a prisoner in custody of the state, burned the court house, sacked and pillaged a large in the negro quarter, and terminated a large percentage of the population.

Tornadoes, sweeping through portions of the state, strewed death and destruction in their wake.

Sympathy of the state was expressed through liberal donations to Red Cross emergency funds.

And, finally, friendly disputes of years standing are being adjudicated by announcements of the census takers. Especially significant is the fact that Texas now has two cities which rank second and third, respectively, in all the South, and a third which lagged but little behind them.

New Orleans, long unmetropolis of the South, is

and begins to fortify itself against an assault of its standing cities, great, near-great, and to-be-great recorded tremendous.

Only the most daring ventures will be in the 1940 census.

Not one Texas editor lifted his pen in defense of the Sherman mob, and practically every editor in the state urges that leaders and members of the mob be convicted and punished. One editor calls attention to the fact that Georgia, since it convicted a mob-leader to life imprisonment some three years ago, has not experienced a single lynching to blacken its record. The artful suggestion has been noted and accepted by many Texas editors.

A rather novel solution of the problem is advanced by one editor and deserves more attention than it has received. While he confessed a constitutional aversion of weekend and Sunday labor, he contends that every identified member of the Sherman mob should spend his Saturday afternoons and Sundays, in reconstruction of the property which the mob destroyed.

There may be some legal difficulties to overcome before such punishment could be assessed against mob members. It is certain, however, that the threat of such punishment would act as a powerful deterrent to incendiary and destructive tendencies of the mob.—From Editorials of the Month.

NEWS OF BOY SCOUT TROOPS IN SOUTHWEST TEXAS.

Carrizo Springs Troop No. 11 under the fine leadership of Scoutmaster Ward Johnson, has done a very unique thing. The Troop voted unanimously for every Scout to wear his badge upside down every day until he had done his good turn. That is the slogan of a Scout, "Do a good turn daily." A Court of Honor for Troop 11 set the pace for the Area in the per cent of Scouts of the Troop appearing before it. Representative A. P. Johnson served as chairman of the Court.

Eagle Pass Troop No. 7, under the supervision of Scoutmaster R. A. Braithwaite, put on a demonstration at the Rotary Club last week, four Scouts telling in their own way their impressions of Scouting as a Tenderfoot, a Second Class Scout, a First Class Scout, and a Life Scout. The same program, with four other members of the troop performing, is to be staged at the Lions Club this week. A Court of Honor for Eagle Pass is scheduled for the last Friday in the month.

Del Rio Troops No. 20, 24 and 25 and Sabinal Troop No. 8 have each recently had Boys' Week Program. That helps in citizenship building as very few other things do. A Court of Honor at the District Court Room in Del Rio was presided over by Pres. E. K. Fawcett.

Rock Springs Troop No. 10 had a fine over night hike at the Steve Brown Ranch. The Scouts passed many tests, learned some new cooking stunts, and had some "bean hole beans." Mr. Steve Brown, troop committee, and Scoutmaster Sivils plan another Court of Honor this month.

Las Moros Troop No. 14 at Brackettville is doing some good work under Scoutmaster Donald Skallknecht and Chaplain MacWilliams. They are learning their "messquite knots," with some fine handicraft and knife work on display.

Uvalde Troop No. 6 has been on several hikes lately, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Herndon and Assistant Rex Phillips and Joe Carpenter. The Lions Club is doing a real job of sponsoring this big troop of 32 Scouts. W. H. Smyth is chairman of the troop committee and they plan a Big Brother movement for this troop that will mean a great deal to the individual, both Lion and Scout.

Uvalde Troop No. 32, Mexican Boys, under Scoutmaster Caetano Santos, went hiking to the Nueces recently. They have their tests ready and are making progress.

We have no late reports from a number of the other troops in the Area, but we know that they are doing some efficient work. We want your reports at Scout Headquarters.

We appreciate the Scouts who are making splendid school records and are graduating with honors from their grades and schools. One Scout when assigned some special work and offered some assistance in preparing the work, said, "No, that wouldn't be fair. A Scout plays the game square."

Lets make this a great vacation for Scouting, Lads.

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A THOUGHT FOR SUNDAY.

Amos R. Wells

SICK SOULS.

Ancient bronze statues, coins, and other metallic objects are subject to sicknesses which are much like the infections of human beings. They crumble away as with tuberculosis. They are eaten as with cancers. They suffer as from ulcers. And each of their many diseases requires a different method of treatment, which properly applied, brings back their former accurate lines, the shining of the beauty, the charm of expression, the delicacy of form.

In human beings sin is a sickness the soul is diseased. It suffers from many different maladies, requiring many different treatments. There is only one Physician of the soul, and that is the Son of God. When on the earth He healed fevers, restored lepers, and brought back to life corpses that had been lying in the grave. What He did for sick bodies He did also for sick souls, and does for sick souls today.

Sick folks know they are sick. If their bodies are sick, how they rush to physicians of known skill! Why not to the proven Physician of souls? Why seek to heal the spirit ourselves when we would not dare attempt to heal the body?

"Heal my soul, for I have sinned against Thee."

Read PSALM 41: 1-10.
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For Tax Assessor.

Yielding to the solicitations of my many friends, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, and now hereby respectfully announce for said office, subject to the next November general election.

It will be my earnest endeavor to meet every voter before the election, but in case I should not be able to do so, I adopt this opportunity to say that your support and vote will be greatly appreciated by me. I promise, if elected, to render impartial, courteous and efficient service to all.

Sincerely yours,
FRANK M. FINGER.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor, it is a deep sense of gratitude that impels me to express my appreciation to the voters of Medina County for their liberal support and confidence reposed in me. Assuring you that if I am re-elected I will endeavor to discharge the duties incumbent upon me as Tax Assessor impartially to the best interest of Medina County.

Respectfully,
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At the solicitation of many friends in Medina County, I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of Tax Assessor at the November election, and respectfully solicit the vote and support of all voters of the county.

OSCAR L. SAATHOFF.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, Texas, at the general election in November, 1930. If re-elected I shall continue to discharge the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

Sincerely thanking the citizens of Medina County for past favors conferred upon me, and assuring one and all that their influence and support will be greatly appreciated by me. I am,

Yours to serve,
J. J. DROITCOURT.

Upon the solicitations of many friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the November election.

I will endeavor to meet the voter of the County before the election. However, should I not be able to do so, I adopt this opportunity to say that your vote and support will be greatly appreciated by me. I promise if elected, to fulfill the duties of the office to the best interest of the county.

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Respectfully,
OSCAR J. BADER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

To My Friends and All Voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1.

I am again announcing myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, believing it is time a change should be made in that official position of the County.

It is my purpose, in making the race for Commissioner, to try and not only try, but improve our public roads of my precinct, without favor or hope of reward, and to economically manage as far as I can the finances of the County, provided the voters and tax payers will so honor me with their support.

Hence I am asking all voters in Precinct No. 1 who have confidence in my integrity and ability to fill the office, for their support at the next election in November, 1930.

Trusting I will be your next Commissioner,

I am, most respectfully,
ALVIN MUMME.

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Medina County, Texas, at the general election to be held in November, 1930.

During the time I have served as your County Commissioner I have always endeavored to safeguard the interests of the Taxpayers and to render efficient and faithful service, and if elected again I shall continue to execute the trust imposed in me to the very best of my ability. I will greatly appreciate your influence and support.

Respectfully,

H. F. BUSS.

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Our D'Hanis Page

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

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to whom all items intended for this page should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1930

Miss Alyce Lancaster of Ft. Sam Houston and Miss Cecile Braden of San Antonio spent the week-end here as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rothe.

Mrs. Joe Reilly and daughter, Miss Aggie, of Sabinal, Mrs. Ed. Meyer of Con Can and Mrs. Annie Rothe of San Antonio visited Mrs. Louis Muennink, Rieber Friday.

Mrs. H. C. Rothe and daughter, Miss Lucy, returned home Friday after a few days' visit with friends in San Antonio.

Miss Loretta Koch spent several days visiting relatives in Eagle Lake, Houston and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Klassing and son, J. C., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grimsinger of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Finger and son and Mr. Alfred Finger and son, Melvin, of Hondo spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. John Koch.

Mesdames Regina Deckert, P. M. Koch, Sr., Eugene Grimsinger, Freddie Koch and Bert Simpson attended the funeral of Mrs. Reynolds in Hondo last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rath, a baby girl on May, 20, 1930, at Hondo.

Misses Viola and Corine Koch were Hondo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lutz and children spent Sunday in LaCoste.

Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., spent Monday in San Antonio.

Enjoy a good musical program at the card party, June 1, Herman Sons' Hall.

Will see you at the card party June 1.

Free refreshments at the card party.

Do you play rook, high five, forty-two, bridge or bongo? Come and help the D'Hanis P. T. A.

Twenty-five entrance prizes to be given away at the card party.

Mothers, don't worry, the children will be entertained.

Mrs. Frank Surovick is here at present with her sister, Mrs. Emil Brod, for medical treatment.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wooff, a son, May 11, 1930.

Miss Cora Wolff left for Del Rio Saturday where she is employed.

Mrs. Martin Zinsmeyer is visiting relatives in San Antonio for several days.

ARTHUR FAX DEAD.

The sad news reached here on Friday, May 9, of the death of Mr. Arthur Fax of Beaumont. Mr. Fax was the father of Sister Pulcheria, a teacher of our St. Anthony School.

Sister Pulcheria left immediately for San Antonio, where her father was buried Sunday, May 11. Burial services were held at St. Patrick's church with Rev. Schrieber officiating. The interment was in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2.

SOCIAL CLUB

A delightful afternoon was spent by members of the Social Club and a few added friends, who on Thursday motored to the beautiful suburban home of Mrs. Emma Rothe, when her passing on my property is strictly forbidden under penalty of law.

42. Miss Sarah Rothe tallied high in 41-13t the games and received a pair of hand-embroidered pillow cases. Mrs. Matt Koch for high cut was given a set of towels and Mrs. Eric Rothe received the booby prize.

Club members present were Mrs. W. E. Albrecht, Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., Mrs. H. L. Muennink, Mrs. Eric

We print wedding invitations at the Anvil Herald office.

BOON'S REMODELING SALE

To Continue another week with these SATURDAY SPECIALS Added

3 POUND CAN SANTONE COFFEE WITH PREMIUM	\$1.05
1 POUND CAN SANTONE COFFEE	.32
TRIX BREAKFAST BACON	.30
4 POUND CAN COTONUT SHORTENING	.59
With $\frac{1}{2}$ Pound Package Free	
3 POUND BUCKET JELLY	.25
75¢ CAN GULF VENOM FLY AND MOSQUITO KILLER	.59
NO. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ CAN HURT'S SUPREME PEACHES	.29
NO. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ CAN HURT'S SUPREME APRICOTS	.29
GOOD SMOKED BACON	.22 $\frac{1}{2}$

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES IN PROGRESS THIS WEEK

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that thing. Don't be a slave to custom, nor a servant of tradition. But be a thinker and think for yourself. Remember that no one has to live your life but you. No one can shed your tears but yourself. No one but you can reap the rewards of your life. No one but you has to pay its penalties.

Remember that after every sowing comes the reaping. Sow what you want to sow. Sow where you want to sow. Sow where you want to sow. But never sow any seed that you do not want to reap. Because there is a law of God, that "after every planting there comes the harvest."

Be a builder, and build for your self—and build your best. It takes more than a pretty house or a palatial mansion to make a home. It takes more than a pretty face or a pretty figure to make a handsome man or a beautiful woman. It takes some inward building. So be a builder; build for your self and build your best.

There are men and women in this congregation today who have failed to build their best, and some of them would to God that some how or other they could unlock the portals of the past and exchange the man or the woman that they are for the man or woman that they could have been if they had only builded their best. These are things that never die.

These are words of kindness spoken. There are deeds of kindness done, That will live throughout the ages, And outshine the shining sun. There are thoughts that never perish.

There is love that will not lie. These will never know a graveyard.

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